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Application Number	10/045,596
Filing Date	October 18, 2001
First Named Inventor	Paul A. Price
Examiner Name	Unassigned
Group / Art Unit	Unassigned
Attorney Docket No.	407T-893910US

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In re application of:

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For: **A FETUIN-MGP-MINERAL COMPLEX IN  
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER - RESPONSE  
TO NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS

Attn: Box Missing Parts  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted" dated April 24, 2002, enclosed are the following to be made of record in the above-identified application:

- 1) Executed Declaration
- 2) Power of Attorney and Certificate of Assignee Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) (+ copy of Assignment - not for recordation-note: The Assignment for recordation is being sent concurrently under separate cover to Box Assignment, pursuant to the MPEP @ Page 300-M and Form PTO-1619A)
- 3) Copy of Notice of Missing Parts
- 4) Copy of Sequence Listing Submitted Under Separate Cover to Box Sequence
- 5) Petition for 1 Month Extension of Time

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- 6) Formal Drawings Sheets 1-20
- 7) Letter to Official Draftsperson
- 8) Fee transmittal sheet
- 9) Transmittal Sheet
- 10) Receipt indication postcard

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0893 for the following fees:

Large entity: (a)	Filing Fee (§ 1.16(a)) (Large Entity)	\$ 370.00
(b)	Excess Claims Fees (§ 1.16(b), (c)):	
	$75 - 20 = 55 \times 9 =$	\$ <u>495.00</u>
	$7 - 3 = 4 \times 42 =$	\$ <u>168.00</u>
(c)	Missing Parts Surcharge	\$ 65.00
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Applicant hereby submits 20 sheets of formal drawings to be made of record in  
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02 FC:203 495.00 CH  
03 FC:202 168.00 CH  
04 FC:205 65.00 CH

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.*
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. ( 5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);
  - Numbers, letters, and reference characters must measure at least 0.32 cm (1/8 inch) in height.
- This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990). If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after

September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

For questions regarding compliance to these requirements, please contact:

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**Items Required To Avoid Processing Delays:**

The item(s) indicated below are also required and should be submitted with any reply to this notice to avoid further processing delays.

- Additional claim fees of \$663 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$1098** for a Small Entity

- \$370 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$663
  - \$495 for 55 total claims over 20.
  - \$168 for 4 independent claims over 3.

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*




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